

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Mitsuo YASUSHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/961,268

Confirmation No.: 8047

Filed: September 25, 2001

For: DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM



Group Art Unit: 2152

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL  
APPLICATION FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(B) - FILING DATE GRANTED**

**ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted," mailed October 22, 2001 for the above application, Applicant respectfully submits herewith the Declaration for the above identified application properly executed by the inventors. Also enclosed please find Submission of Formal Drawings and 26 (twenty-six) sheets of drawings, Assignment and PTO Form 1595, Submission of Priority Document and one (1) priority document and Submission of Proposed Amendment to Drawings.

A check for the statutory fee of \$130.00 and \$40.00 are attached. Please also charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Darryl Mexic", written over a horizontal line.

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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Submitted herewith please find twenty-six (26) sheets of formal drawings. The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge receipt of these formal drawings.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. ( 5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

*CV*

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